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January 6, 2004

To:

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Supervisor Don Knabe

Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich

From:

David E. Janssen

Chief Administrative Officer

STATE LEGISLATIVE AGENDA (ITÉM NO. 19, AGENDA OF JANUARY 11, 2005)

At the January 4, 2004 Board meeting, my office was instructed to incorporate proposed amendments, made by Supervisors, into the State Legislative Agenda, and return the package for Board consideration. Attached are the proposed amendments. **My office has reviewed the items in conjunction with affected Departments and recommends their adoption**.

If you have questions or need additional information, please let me know, or your staff may contact Jonathan Freedman at (213) 974-1643.

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#### Attachment

c: Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors County Counsel

### PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE STATE LEGISLATIVE AGENDA FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF THE 2005-06 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

(Note: Proposed amendments are in italics.)

#### I. Proposed Amendments to Attachment I – Legislative Policies

1. Amendment to Item 5 under Section 1.2 Child Welfare Services – Foster Care

Support legislation and funding to allow the State Department of Social Services Community Care Licensing Division *and local government* to make unannounced visits to Foster Family Agency (FFA) certified homes.

Sponsor:

Supervisor Antonovich

2. Amendment to Item 9 under Section 2.5 Watershed Management and Flood Control

Support legislation funding the *planning*, operation and maintenance of watershed or multi-use projects.

Sponsor:

Supervisor Yaroslavsky

3. Addition to Section 2.5 Watershed Management and Flood Control

Support authorization and funding for the Los Angeles County Drainage (LACDA) Project, as required by AB 1147.

Sponsor:

Supervisor Yaroslavsky

4. Amendment to Item 4 under Section 13.1 Energy

Support funding for a grant program to encourage electric *and solar* retrofitting of public buildings.

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Sponsor:

Supervisor Antonovich

5. Amendment related to Adult Day Health Care – add new policy

Support legislation to improve the planning and certification of new Adult Day Health Care programs and to strengthen the program and fiscal monitoring of these programs.

Sponsor:

Supervisor Yaroslavsky

6. Amendment related to homelessness – add new policies developed by CAO and LAHSA

Support proposals which increase funding for homeless assistance programs, including supportive housing, supportive services, and emergency services, increase local flexibility over the use of homeless assistance funds, simplify and reduce administrative requirements, and more equitably distribute funds based on relative need.

Support proposals which provide additional resources for meeting the housing and related supportive service needs of special populations, including elderly, disabled, and mentally ill persons.

Support creation and funding of a State plan to end homelessness, and the reconvening of a State-level Interagency Council on Homelessness comprised of representatives from all State cabinet departments responsible for programs or activities that affect homeless persons and the agencies that serve them.

Support proposals to improve the discharge policies and procedures of State prisons, hospitals and any other agencies with residential services, to ensure that persons are not homeless at the time of release.

Sponsor:

Supervisor Yaroslavsky

#### II. Proposed Amendment to Attachment III – Project List

1. Amendment to Third District projects – add new project

## North Santa Monica Bay Regional Watersheds Implementation Plan

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The North Santa Monica Bay Watersheds (NSMBW) Task Force is working collaboratively to develop and implement a Regional Watersheds Implementation Plan to comply with the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit, Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs), and Assembly Bill 885 (AB 885) regulatory objectives. The North Santa Monica Bay Watersheds collectively are 200 square miles which includes Malibu Creek, Topanga Creek, and other rural

Santa Monica Mountains Watersheds. The project is estimated to cost \$50 million for the plan development of the Regional Watersheds Implementation Plan (RWIP), implementation of projects and programs identified in the RWIP, and inventory of the on-site wastewater treatment systems.

- County Responsibility: Public Works, Health Services, Chief Administrative Officer, Beaches and Harbors, Parks and Recreation, Regional Planning, Fire, Sheriff, and Agricultural/ Weights and Measures.
- Potential Partners: Cities of Malibu, Westlake Village, Agoura Hills, Calabasas, and Thousand Oaks, Ventura County, and Ventura Watershed Protection.

Sponsor: Supervisor Yaroslavsky